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MEMORANDUM FOR SERVICE ACQUISITION EXECUTIVES  
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(ACQUISITION REFORM)  
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FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION

SUBJECT: Status of Single Process Initiative (SPI) Proposals Requesting Changes to Laws and Regulations

During the SPI Executive Council meeting on September 11, 1998, DCMC was tasked to provide a status of all SPI proposals requesting changes to laws and regulations.

Currently, there are 55 open proposals that have been received at HQ DCMC. Of those 55, there are 34 proposals that are awaiting the issuance of final FAR rules. The breakdown by subject matter for these 34 proposals is as follows: property (29 proposals), Clean Air/Clean Water Act certification requirement for non-commercial items (2 proposals) and notification of subcontract Cost Accounting Standards (3 proposals).

Of the remaining 21 proposals, we have provided responses to 13 proposals and have instructed our field activities to execute the block change modifications. We are developing FAR cases for live proposals (terminations, purchasing systems, certifications (2), and material management and accounting systems). We anticipate completion of the modifications and submission of the FAR cases by December 31, 1998. There are three proposals which we will provide to OSD(AR) for their evaluation; two proposals to change the Truth in Negotiations Act threshold and one proposal to change regulations under the purview of the Food and Drug Administration.

Should you have any questions, please direct them to my SPI Team Chief, Mr. Gordon Elley, 703-767-2471, DSN 427-2471, or [gordon\\_elley@hq.dla.mil](mailto:gordon_elley@hq.dla.mil).

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